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## **REMARKS**

Claims 1-6 and 11-16 are currently pending. Of these, claims 1-6 and 13-15 are allowed. Therefore, claims 11, 12 and 16 are the only rejected claims.

In the "Allowable Subject Matter" on page 3 of the outstanding Office Action, the Examiner indicates that the prior art does not disclose or suggest "an upper plate for guiding and accommodating the electrical part" as recited claim 13. Therefore, independent claims 11 and 16 are amended to recite an upper plate for guiding and accommodating the electrical part.

Please note that claim 11 is further amended to recite that the contact sheet and the land sheet are clamped between the upper plate and the circuit board. This feature is also recited in allowed claim 13, and also in claim 16. Dependent claim 12 is amended to be consistent with the amended claim 11.

In view of the above, it is respectfully submitted that the application is in condition for allowance.

If any further fees are required in connection with the filing of this response, please charge such fees to our Deposit Account No. 19-3935.

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